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On September 20, 2002, the Patent Office entered its Decision on applicant's Request for Corrected Filing Receipt. Reconsideration is requested.

As seen from the attached documents, the Patent Office constructively received all of the necessary filing papers by November 20, 2001.

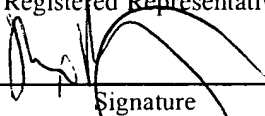
Therefore, the filing date should be set to November 20, 2001.

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DECISION

This decision is in response to applicant's "Request for Corrected Filing Receipt" submitted 15 April 2002 which has been treated as a petition under 37 CFR 1.181 and is hereby **DISMISSED** as follows:

The date in the filing date portion on the filing receipt of a national stage application is the date upon which applicants complete the requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371(c). See section 1895.01, A. *Filing Date as Applicant's Date of Invention*, Manual of Patent Examining Procedure (MPEP), pg. 1800-153 (August 2001)(see also MPEP 1893.03(b)).

A review of the above-captioned application reveals that applicant did not complete the requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4) for national stage entry until 16 January 2002 when they submitted an executed declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) & (b). Moreover, the DO/EO/US mailed a Notification of Acceptance of Application under 35 U.S.C. 371 on 01 February 2002 listing a 35 U.S.C. 371(c)(1), (c)(2), and (c)(4) date and date of receipt of all 35 U.S.C. requirements of **16 January 2002**. Accordingly, the filing date appearing on the Filing Receipt is correct.

This application is being forwarded to Technology Center 3700 for further processing.


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